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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Li)
Serial No.: 09/383,894) Examiner: K.
Filed: August 26, 1999) Lacourciere
For: T-TYPE CALCIUM CHANNEL) Art Unit: 1635

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the September 12, 2000 Office Action issued by the Examiner in connection with the above identified application. A response to the Office Action was originally due December 12, 2000. A request for a three-month extension of time is being filed herewith, therefore a response is now due March 12, 2001.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

In the Specification:

Replace Sequence Listing pages 1-27 as filed on December 8, 1999 with new replacement SEQUENCE LISTING pages 1-28, enclosed herewith.

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 1-42 and 50-60, without prejudice.

REMARKS

Claims 1-60 are pending in the subject application. Claims 1-42 and 50-60 have hereinabove been canceled. Therefore, the claims now under consideration are claims 42-49. Applicant respectfully requests that the rejections of the claims be reconsidered and withdrawn in view of the above amendments and the following remarks.